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Re: Filing of Notice of Joint Application of Southwest Gas Corporation and Black Mountain Gas Company

Docket Nos. G-01551A-03-0172 and G-01970A-03-0172

Accompanying this letter are the original and sixteen (16) copies of a document, entitled **Notice of Joint Application of Southwest Gas Corporation and Black Mountain Gas Company.** Please accept the original and fifteen (15) of the copies for filing and date/time stamp the remaining copy and return it to me in the stamped, self-addressed envelope which also accompanies this letter.

Thank you for the usual courtesy.

Respectfully,

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Re: Notice of Withdrawal of Joint Application of Southwest Gas Corporation and Black Mountain Gas Company – Docket Nos. G-01551A-03-0172 & G-01970A-03-0172

Please accept this notice of withdrawal of the March 21, 2003 Joint Application filed in the above-referenced Dockets by Southwest Gas Corporation (Southwest) and Black Mountain Gas Company (Black Mountain). At the time of the March 21, 2003 filing, Southwest did not have an ownership interest in Black Mountain. Today, Southwest owns 100% of the outstanding shares of Black Mountain and, accordingly, this notice of withdrawal is filed on behalf of both Southwest and Black Mountain.

Respectfully,

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